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Previous References
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Serial Nos. Nil.

Part B for Dec'36

SUBJECT.

Re. Recovery of Kalasa Collections of Mahamastakabhisheka at Saravanabelago

2) To

The Dy. Comr.
Gnl. Route
P Pr Mysore
Compr
Dr Shama

WD 01965—GPB—15,000—7-7-34

RO-P2598-602 dy 29.11.36
Accepts the Compromise proposed in the above.

Kalasa Collections at Mahamastakabhisheka

General and Revenue Secretariat | Law File No. 28 of 1934. | [App. F. III—2

Serial No.

From,

The Mag. Comm^r

No. 962/26-27 dt 3.11.34 forwarding a communication received from Mr. Subbaraya Sastry informing the arrangements now arrived at by mutual agreement between the Sec of the All India Digambara Committee of Bombay and the Swamijee and recommending in the circumstances stated to accept the proposals as detailed and requesting to send a copy of the reply to be sent to Messrs. Mulla & Mulla Solicitors &c.

Reference para 96 of the notes in Law file [illegible]

In this office letter of the 31st Aug '34, the Mag. Comm^r was instructed to take further action as proposed in para 4 of his letter dated 8 Aug 1934 where it was proposed suggested to insist the money as it is received, ~~to~~ being paid into the Govt. Treasury at once it was agreed by all the parties to utilise it for the Construction of a bridge at Mandagge under the supervision of Govt.

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re the Imperial Bank of India Ltd. The M.C recommends that the proposals made in the Subhan Sastry's letter may be accepted.

Submitted for orders.

The Hon'ble Minister's recommendation may be accepted and the Govt Advocate requested to send up the draft required to the Hon'ble Minister.

(Sd) [illegible] 24/11/34

I agree.

Grand Secretary. 23.11.34

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Submitted for approval

A Draft G.O is necessary for sanctioning the compromise. In that G.O the Govt might be requested to furnish the M.C with the G.O in reply required.

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OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 23 NOV. 1934 No. 3

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Sent with a dft G.O. accordingly

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To,

The Mag. Comm.

Law. Ad.

Obr. Mg.

Compromise to Jain

DC. Hassan

G.O. no. P. 2198-602 Law 88 34-2 dt 29.9.34

accepting the Compromise proposed.

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No. 962/26-27
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OFFICE OF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER,
IN MYSORE,

Dated, Bangalore, 1st November *193* 4
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GENERAL SECTION
3 NOV. 1934
BANGALORE

N. MADHAVA RAO, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

To

Law 88-34-1

S. Abdul Wajid, Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
General *Department.*

Pond 5/11

SIR,

Recovery of Kalasa Collections of Mahamastakabhisheka at Sravanabelagola.

With reference to your letter No.P.804/Law 16-31 dated 13th August 1934 re: the above, I have the honor to state that a communication as suggested in para 4 of this office letter dated 1st August 1934 was sent to Mr. Lakshmipathiah and the Agent to the Swamigalu, and the reply received from the latter is herewith sent. As the arrangements now arrived at by mutual agreement between the Secretary of the All-India Digambar Jain Thirthakshetra Committee of Pombay and the Swamigalu seem to be the best in the circumstances of the case and in view of the attitude said to have been taken up by Bai Bhuriba: widow of the late Mr. Sukhanand, I recommend that the proposals detailed in Mr. Subbaiah Sastry's letter may be accepted. If Governmer approve of this recommendation, a draft letter to be sent by Mr. Subbiah Sastry to Messrs. Mulla and Mulla, Solicitors, Pombay, withdrawing the objection, may kindly be sent.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

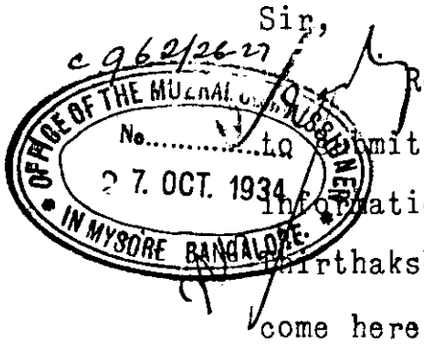
M Madhava Rao

Muzrai Commissioner.

Mysore,
25th October 1934.

To
The Muzrai Commissioner,
Government of Mysore, Bangalore,
Camp Mysore.

Sir,



Regarding the Sravanbelgola Hundi collections, I beg to submit the latest developments in the matter for your information. The Secretary of the All-India Digambar Jain Tirthakshetra Committee of Bombay, Mr. Seth Ratanchandji had come here a few days ago to have the matter discussed and settled personally with His Holiness Sri Swamiji who is now camping in Mysore for Chaturmas. After much discussion, the final arrangement that was arrived at was as follows:

(1) The monies to be collected by the Secretary of the Bombay Committee for and on behalf of the three claimants viz. Government of Mysore for Sri Mutt, the Bombay Committee, and the Mysore Committee.

(2) The amounts as and when realised should be deposited immediately with the Imperial Bank of India, Bombay in the joint names of the three claimants, the power of operation being vested jointly with all of them.

(3) The amounts to be utilised for the purpose of constructing a suitable Dharmasala at Sravanbelgola, the plans and estimates of which should have the previous approval of the three parties.

Taking all circumstances into consideration, especially the precarious position in which the money is now lying, His Holiness Sri Swamiji has agreed to the above arrangement with a view to avoid litigation and delay. His Holiness apprehends

that delay and dispute entail the risk of the money being lost to all the three parties, the lady with whom the money is now lying is not prepared to give it to any one party unless all the three claimants come to an understanding among themselves and empower her to give it to any nominee that may be appointed by them. On account of the disputes that have unfortunately arisen in this matter, the said lady is in an advantageous position and is apparently reasonably putting off payment on the ground that she cannot pay the money unless the dispute is settled and a valid claim established with the consent of all the three parties so as to enable her to obtain a full and sufficient discharge in the matter. She is a very old lady and her estate is involved in litigation besides being heavily encumbered. She is however willing and prepared to give these monies in about three instalments extending over a period of a year and a half or two from now. She has a now a sum of Rs 10,000/- in ready cash and has reserved it for payment towards this liability. Carefully considering the situation and all its circumstances it is in His Holiness' opinion not safe to leave the money uncollected any more and that it is best to have the different claims amicably settled among ourselves with a view to ask the lady to pay the money at once to a nominee appointed by all of us. Having considered that this is the only way of realising the money, His Holiness has tentatively agreed to the arrangement as stated above subject to the approval of Government. As desired by His Holiness, I request that you may be pleased to consider the said arrangement favourably and recommend to Government for sanction at an early date.

Thanking you,

I beg to remain

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

A. Subbaiya. Shastry.

Agent, Sri Mutt, Sravanbelgola.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read :—

Correspondence ending with the letter No.965/Cal.7 dated 3rd November 1934 from the Liaison Commissioner forwarding the letter dated 26th October 1934 of Mr. Subbaiya Sastry, Agent, Sri Matt Sravanabelagola, intimating of the final arrangement arrived at by mutual agreement between the Secretary of the All India Digambar Jain Thirthakshetra Committee of Bombay and the Swamigalu of Sravanabelagola regarding the Kalasa collections made at Maha-Mahthabhisheka of 1925 and recommending in the circumstances stated be the acceptance of the proposed compromise and requesting instructions regarding the reply to be sent by Mr. Subbaiya Sastry, Agent of the Matt to Messrs. Lalla and Lalla, Solicitors, Bombay.

Order No. P 2598—60 2 Law 88—34—2

Dated, Bangalore, the 29th November 1934.

The final arrangements proposed are :-

(1)- The monies to be collected by the Secretary of the Bombay Committee for and on behalf of the three claimants viz., Government of Mysore for Sri Matt, the Bombay Committee, and the Mysore Committee.

(2) The amounts as and when realised should be deposited immediately with the Imperial Bank of India, Bombay in the joint names of the three claimants, the power of operation being vested jointly with all of them.

(3) The amounts to be utilised for the purpose of constructing a suitable Dharmasala at Sravanabelagola, the plans and estimates of which should have the previous approval of the three parties.

reported, Government are pleased to accept the compromise proposed. The Government Advocate is requested to advise the Mamlat Commissioner regarding the draft reply to be sent to the Bombay Solicitors.

for Chief Secretary to Government

To Mamlat Commissioner in Mysore.
The Government Advocate in Mysore.
The Public Prosecutor, Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government.
The Deputy Commissioner, Hassan District.

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SUBJECT .....

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Section Law

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Date of issue 29/11/ 1934.

Signed by Mr. V. P. J. P.

Read— Correspondence ending with the letter no. 962/26-27 dated 3.11.34 from the Nyayadhikari Commr. forwarding a ~~Communication~~ letter dt 25.10.34 from Mr. Subbaiya Sastry intimating the final arrangements arrived at ~~Order thereon. No.~~ by mutual agreement between the Secretary of the all India Digambara Jain Thirthakshetra Committee of Bombay and the Swamigalavaru of Sravanabelgola and recommending in the circumstances stated to the acceptance of the proposed ~~said~~ compromise ~~& decided the~~

May this be—

(i) printed? Secretary, Sri Mutt, Sravanabelgola

(ii) treated as a standing order?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English Part?

(iv) translated?

(v) placed at the disposal of the press?

(vi) published in the Gazette, Kannada Part?

Refusing the Kalasa Collections made at Mahamastabhishekha A 1925

29/11/34

instructions regarding the

and requesting ~~to send~~ draft

reply ~~to~~ to be sent by Mr. Subbaya

Agent of the Court

asking ~~(~~ to Messrs. Mulla and Mulla

Solicitors Bombay, ~~with draft reply~~

~~objection~~

Order: NOP 2598-60. The final arrangement proposed are

Govt are pleased to 1)

2)

accept the proposals recommended 3)

by the Mys. Co as per

agreement hereunto appended.

Para 1-3 of the letter flagged

The Govt. Ad. is requested to

convey the draft reply required

by the Mys. Comm

It is reported that His Holiness the Swami of Sravanabelgola Math has agreed to this arrangement - In the circumstances reported, Govt are pleased to accept ~~the~~ the Compromise ~~proposed~~ proposed. ~~and request~~ The Govt Advocate is requested to advise the Mysore Comm regarding the draft reply to be sent to the Solicitors

List of Enclosure

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Govt Secy

To.

The Mys. Comm

2) " Govt. Ad.

3) " P.S. to Mysore

4) " Comptroller to Govt

5) " D.C. Hassan

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